EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, D.C.

OFFICE OF SOLID WASTE AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE

Director, Federal Facilities Restoration and Reuse Office, May 2007-present

- Lead development and implementation of federal policy for the clean up & reuse of National Priority List federal Superfund sites
- Establish goals and priorities for the use of \$31 million in national program funds
- Represent EPA in public forums, and meetings with states and senior federal officials from Department of Defense, Department of Energy, other agencies
- Promote results through innovation, technical support, and partnerships
- Oversee assistance agreements to assure accountability and results
- Establish office priorities and goals, manage staff and second-level managers

OFFICE OF CONGRESSIONAL AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, July 2001-April 2007

Deputy Associate Administrator, Congressional Affairs, February 1998-June 2001

- Advised EPA Administrator and senior officials on legislative strategies/options
- Led resolution of highly visible, complex and sensitive issues
- Communicated EPA=s positions to Members of Congress and state officials
- Led reorganization and innovations to achieve results and efficiencies

OFFICE OF WATER

Special Assistant for Policy and Legislation, 1991-1997 Program Analyst, 1988-1991

- Led development formal guidance for pollution control under the Clean Water Act and federal pesticide laws, and advised senior officials on policy/legislation
- Negotiated policy and legislative proposals with OMB and the White House
- Led EPA outreach to advocacy/industry groups, federal agencies and states

United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Professional Staff Detail, March-June 1994

- Briefed the Committee Chairman on Safe Drinking Water Act legislative proposals and EPA policy positions
- Researched policy options and advised Committee Chairman and staff
- Drafted legislation, floor speeches, and talking points for the Chairman

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

Professional Staff Detail, November 1989-April 1990

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, DC

Budget Analyst, 1987-198

EDUCATION

Hubert H. Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs and Planning, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN Master of Arts degree in Public Affairs, 1987

<u>College of Agriculture</u>, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN Bachelor of Science degree in Agricultural and Applied Economics, 1985

MILITARY SERVICE

U.S Army Air Defense Command, Worms, Germany, 1979-1981

TRAINING

<u>Western Management Development Center,</u> Office of Personnel Management Executive Supervisory Skills, 2001

<u>Federal Executive Institute</u>, Office of Personnel Management Leadership for a Democratic Society, 2000

<u>Presidential Management Intern Program</u>, Office of Personnel Management PMI class of 1987

AWARDS AND HONORS

<	"Outstanding" or "Comendable" SES Performance Ratings	2005-2009
<	Accepted into the Federal Senior Executive Service (SES)	2003
<	EPA Gold Medal for Exceptional Service	1997
<	EPA Sustained Superior Performance Award	1994, 1998
<	U.S. Department of Agriculture Certificate of Merit	1994
<	EPA Bronze Medal for Commendable Service (6 times)	1990-2004
<	Selected for Agriculture Leadership Exchange Program	1991
<	Presidential Management Intern	1987-1989
<	President=s Leadership Award, University of Minnesota	1984
<	U.S. Army Commendation Award	1981

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Washington, DC Higher Achievement Program Volunteer Tutor for Elementary Students

Earth Day Volunteer

Active Participation in EPA activities

Active Member of Friends of LaFayette Park Association

National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Minnesota Chapter

Annual Fund Raising and Volunteer for The Ride Across Minnesota

Combined Federal Campaign

Event Planning and Eagle Award Recipient